AB Coutts potential roadblock by truckers - fyi

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Got reports this morning that our BIS operations received information from the public by email on potential roadblocks at the Coutts border crossing, as per below.

Denis I was just on and GOC ADM crisis cell meeting for you and shared this info with them and through BOC we will continue to keep them apprised as needed.

Commercial driver protest (Multiple locations across Canada)

- Coutts
  - UPDATE **** Information was received by someone from the public to CBSA generic info email saying:
    - *"In Alberta, those who cannot go to Ottawa are being encouraged to block the Coutts border and not move until the demands in Ottawa are met. This seems to be planned for January 28 or 29, but they keep adjusting the routes and goal dates as they continue to organize the plan. This was in the comments thread of one of the posts on the Freedom Convoy 2020 facebook page."*
    - *"As well as the main facebook page, one of the leaders who is the command central contact from his motorhome has a facebook page called The Real Pat King. Pat King is laying out the logistics of the convoy, and some of his livestream videos seem somewhat threatening and take on a mob rally tone which I also thought you or the RCMP might want to know. Please pass this on to any authorities if you determine there is need to do so."*

All preparation are in place for the scheduled protest on January 29, 2022. Every internal and external partners have been engaged,

Lynne